

CONVERSION KIT

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**KID NIKI-RADICAL NINJA
INSTALLATION AND SERVICE MANUAL**
CONVERSION KIT MODEL NUMBER 1US27K

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b. Warranty information.

DATA EAST LIMITED WARRANTY

Data East USA, Inc., ("Seller"), warrants only to the initial purchaser of its products that the items listed below are free from defects in material and workmanship under normal use and service for the warranty period specified:

Printed Circuit Boards (game logic)	90 days
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No other parts of Seller's product are warranted.

Warranty periods are effective from initial date of shipment from Seller to its authorized distributors.

Seller's sole liability shall be, at its option, to repair or replace products which are returned to Seller during the warranty periods specified, provided:

1. Seller is notified promptly upon discovery by purchaser that stated products are defective.
2. Such products are properly packaged and then returned freight prepaid, to Seller's plant.

This warranty does not apply to any parts damaged during shipment and/or due to improper handling, or due to improper installation or usage, or alteration. In no event shall the Seller be liable for any anticipated profits, loss of profits, loss of use, accidental or consequential damages or any other losses incurred by the customer in connection with the purchase of a Data East USA, Inc., product.

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c. Checking your kit.

Your Data East conversion kit contains all of the components required for installation in most color upright video game cabinets. Before beginning, check the contents of your conversion kit for the following materials:

(1) Kid Niki pcb set	510-0095-00
(1) EMI filter PCB, Irem to Deco	520-0087-00
(1) Main harness, conversion kit	036-0013-01
(1) Marquee plex, Kid Niki	830-0029-00
(1) Monitor underlay card, Kid Niki	810-0020-00
(1) Control panel overlay, generic kit	800-0021-01
(2) Side decal, generic kit	820-0036-00
(1) Joystick assy, 4/8 way	450-0009-00
(2) Pushbutton assy, Black	350-0016-00
(2) Pushbutton assy, Yellow	350-0016-04
(2) Pushbutton assy, White	350-0016-09
(1) Installation & Service manual	780-0052-00
(1) FCC Warning Label	406-0003-00

Verify that your kit is complete before going further.

d. General conversion requirements.

This Data East conversion kit is designed to be installed into an existing video game cabinet. All necessary components and graphics have been supplied to make the results of this conversion look and play like a new upright game. There are several requirements to consider when selecting a game to convert. They are as follows:

MONITOR: RGB, NEGATIVE COMPOSITE SYNC, HORIZONTALLY MOUNTED

POWER SUPPLY: + 5 VOLTS AT A MINIMUM OF 7 AMPERES.
(Kid Niki pcb set draws 4.6 amps)

+ 12 VOLTS AT A MINIMUM OF 1 AMPERE.
(Kid Niki pcb set draws .79 amps nominal)

When selecting a game to convert, make sure that the coin acceptors are functional, the monitor and power supply work well, and the cabinet is structurely sound. There is nothing more frustrating then installing a new conversion kit and discovering that it will not come up due to a faulty monitor or power supply. I know...the first thing you will suspect is the new Logic PCB, right? Save yourself some time and money by making sure the original game works before you install a kit.

It is mandatory that the cabinet be wired to conform with all National and Local Electrical Code requirements before the conversion is attempted. The system must have adequate noise filtering on the AC line to prevent unwanted conducted radio frequency interference. Adequate is defined as a filter having both common mode and differential mode filtering with a current capacity of at least 1 1/2 amperes.

According to the FCC and/or other regulatory agencies, every video game must be clearly labeled with the name and address of the Original Manufacturer, Date of Manufacture (or serial number), Voltage Rating, Current Rating, Suitability for indoor or outdoor use, and Model Number. In addition, the FCC requires that after conversion, the unit must be labeled with a suitable warning stating that radio frequency interference may result from use in a residential area. An acceptable warning sticker is included in your kit.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE PERSON PERFORMING THE CONVERSION TO COMPLY WITH ALL LABELING REQUIREMENTS.

2. SPECIFIC INFORMATION

A. Self test information.

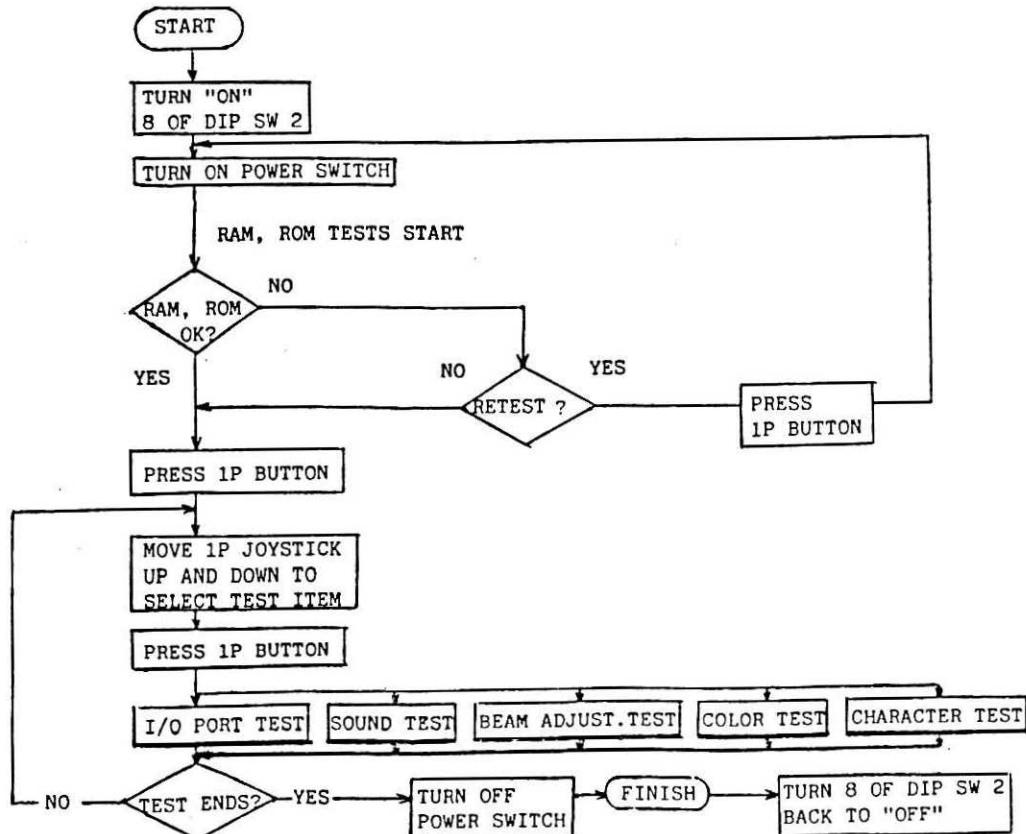
The Kid Niki game has a self test mode that checks out the system hardware. To enable this test, switch number 8 on Dipswitch 2 to the "ON" position and apply power to the game. The following tests will appear on the screen:

- 1 RAM test
- 2 ROM test
- 3 I/O Port test
- 4 DIP Switch test
- 5 Sound test
- 6 Character test
- 7 Color test
- 8 Beam adjustment test

As soon as power is applied with the Test Mode selected, tests 1 and 2 are started. Use the 1 Player joystick up/down directions to select test item from the menu and the 1 Player Start button to begin test.

To return to the attract mode, remove power, switch number 8 of Dipswitch 2 to the "OFF" position, and apply power once again.

TEST PROCEDURES:



B. Sound volume adjustment.

The sound volume level is adjustable by turning the potentiometer VR1 on the main logic pcb (see figure 1) until the desired volume level is attained.

C. Operator selectable options.

The Kid Niki game contains operator selectable coinage, bonus, etc. These options are accessed by the two 8 position dipswitches located on the main logic pcb (see figure 1). The following tables outline the available options.

DIPSWITCH 1		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
NUMBER OF LIVES	THREE:	OFF	OFF						
	TWO:	ON	OFF						
	FOUR:	OFF	ON						
	FIVE:	ON	ON						
DIFFICULTY	NORMAL:		OFF						
	HARD:		ON						
EXTRA LIFE GIVEN AT:	50000 PTS:			OFF					
	80000 PTS:			ON					
COIN MODE 2	COIN A	1 COIN=1 PLAY:			OFF	OFF			
		2 COIN=1 PLAY:			ON	OFF			
		3 COIN=1 PLAY:			OFF	ON			
		5 COIN=1 PLAY:			ON	ON			
SW3 OF DIPSW 2 ON	COIN B	1 COIN=2 PLAY:				OFF	OFF		
		1 COIN=3 PLAY:				ON	OFF		
		1 COIN=5 PLAY:				OFF	ON		
		1 COIN=6 PLAY:				ON	ON		
COIN MODE 1		1 COIN=1 PLAY:			OFF	OFF	OFF	OFF	
		2 COIN=1 PLAY:			ON	OFF	OFF	OFF	
		3 COIN=1 PLAY:			OFF	ON	OFF	OFF	
		4 COIN=1 PLAY:			ON	ON	OFF	OFF	
SW3 OF DIPSW 2 OFF		5 COIN=1 PLAY:			OFF	OFF	ON	OFF	
		6 COIN=1 PLAY:			ON	OFF	ON	OFF	
		1 COIN=2 PLAY:			OFF	ON	ON	OFF	
		1 COIN=3 PLAY:			ON	ON	ON	OFF	
		1 COIN=4 PLAY:			OFF	OFF	OFF	ON	
		1 COIN=5 PLAY:			ON	OFF	OFF	ON	
		1 COIN=6 PLAY:			OFF	ON	OFF	ON	
		2 COIN=3 PLAY:			ON	ON	OFF	ON	
		3 COIN=2 PLAY:			OFF	OFF	ON	ON	
		5 COIN=3 PLAY:			ON	OFF	ON	ON	
		8 COIN=3 PLAY:			OFF	ON	ON	ON	
		FREE PLAY:			ON	ON	ON	ON	

DIPSWITCH 2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
FLIP PICTURE	NO:	OFF						
	YES:	ON						
CABINET TYPE	TABLE:	OFF						
	UPRIGHT:	ON						
COIN MODE	MODE 1:		OFF					
	MODE 2:		ON					
GAME REPETITION	NO:		OFF					
	YES:		ON					
CONTINUE MODE (BUY-IN)	YES:			OFF				
	NO:			ON				
FREEZE PICTURE MODE	NO:			OFF				
	YES:			ON				
NO DEATH MODE	NO:				OFF			
	YES:				ON			
DIAGNOSTIC TEST MODE	NO:					OFF		
	YES:					ON		

NOTE:

1. SELECT COIN MODE 1 FOR GAMES WITH ONE COIN SELECTOR OR IF TWO COIN SELECTORS WITH THE SAME COIN/CREDIT VALUES ARE DESIRED.
2. SELECT COIN MODE 2 IF TWO COIN SELECTORS OF DIFFERENT COIN/CREDIT VALUES ARE DESIRED.
3. TO ACTIVATE FREEZE PICTURE MODE, SWITCH 6 OF DIPSWITCH 2 ON. THE GAME WILL PLAY NORMALLY. TO FREEZE PICTURE, PRESS 2 PLAYER START BUTTON. TO CONTINUE, PRESS 1 PLAYER START BUTTON.
4. GAME REPETITION ALLOWS THE GAME PLAY TO WRAP AROUND TO THE BEGINNING WHEN ALL SCENES ARE COMPLETED. DISABLE TO STOP GAME AT END.

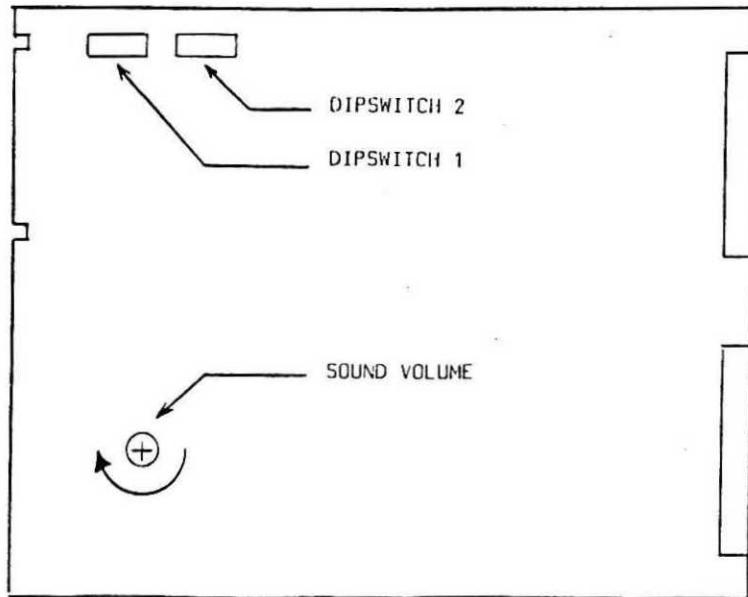


FIGURE 1

4. INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

a. Conversion preparations.

Performing a few simple tasks when preparing a game to be converted can save you much time and effort when you are installing the conversion kit. This section will cover the basic procedures to follow when preparing your game.

FIND THE WIRING DIAGRAM FOR THE GAME TO BE CONVERTED! You will need to identify the required DC power supply output wires, and the monitor video and sync wires. Note the color coding of these wires or better yet, label each one as to their function. This conversion kit contains a new Main Harness, but you may need to splice into the existing power supply and monitor wires.

Remove the existing game harnesses that will not be utilized in the final conversion. **NOTE:** This conversion kit only requires modification of the secondary (DC from power supply) and I/O (control panel and coin) sections of the original wiring. **DO NOT REMOVE OR MODIFY THE PRIMARY AC WIRING.** The primary AC wiring has been designed and built to UL and FCC regulations and must not be modified.

Remove the existing game logic boards. Remove all decals and/or paint over existing cabinet graphics. Repair any cabinet damage.

Remove the monitor plex (or glass). If your plex has silkscreened artwork on it, you will need to strip it off or replace with a clear plex cut to the same size. Use your original plex as a template when cutting the new Underlay Card down to size.

Remove the marquee plex. Use this plex as a template when cutting the new Marquee plex down to size.

Remove the control panel from the cabinet and strip it down. The game is now ready to be converted!

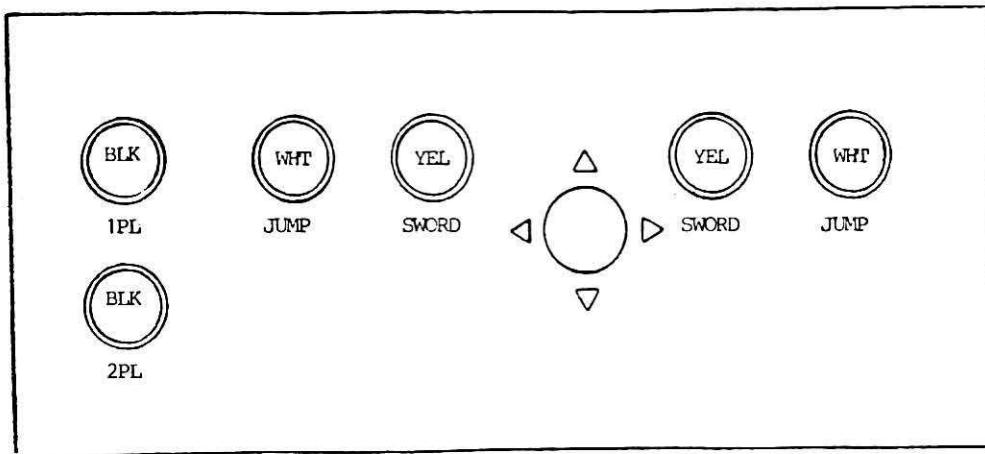


FIGURE 2

b. Installation procedures.

Control Panel: This is never any fun, so lets do it first and get it out of the way. Examine the suggested control panel layout drawing (fig. 2) and see what holes you will have to add and/or plug.

Install the control panel overlay by peeling off the paper backing and carefully lowering it down on to the panel. Smooth it out starting from the center and work your way out to the edges, removing all of the trapped air pockets. Using a sharp blade, cut out all of the required holes and mount the controls as shown in the layout drawing (fig. 2). Mount the completed control panel to the cabinet.

PCB Set: Mount the Kid Niki pcb set into the cabinet. We recommend mounting the pcb to a side wall to allow for adequate convection cooling. Plug the EMI Filter pcb onto the logic pcb's edge connector.

Power Supply Wiring: Plug the Main Harness onto the edge connector of the EMI Filter pcb and route the power supply wires neatly to the power supply. For best results, these wires should be routed in such a way as to keep the overall length to a minimum. Use a minimum of two (2) wires EACH for the +5 volt and Ground wires from the Power Supply to the pcb set. The +12 volt wire is not critical, one (1) wire is adequate. Terminate these wires as required.

WARNING: IMPROPER WIRING WILL CAUSE SUBSTANTIAL DAMAGE TO THE PCB SET AND VOID YOUR WARRANTY!

Player Control Wiring: Route the player control wires to their proper destinations, cut to proper length, and terminate as required. See Specific Wiring Information for hook up details.

Monitor Wiring: As mentioned in the Conversion Requirements, this pcb set outputs NEGATIVE COMPOSITE SYNC to the monitor. If your monitor does not support Composite Sync, hook the Sync wire to the negative Horizontal Sync input. This method will work on most monitors, however some Electrohome models require that Sync be tied to both the negative Horizontal and negative Vertical inputs for proper operation. Contact your distributor if you are uncertain as to the proper hook up procedures for your monitor.

b. Installation procedures (continued)

Coin Counter(s): The Coin Counter(s) can be 5 volt or 12 volt units as the pcb set utilizes an Open Collector output driver circuit. See Specific Wiring Information for hook up details.

Graphics: Install the Underlay Card. This card will rest directly under the clear monitor plex (or glass). Mount the new Marquee Plex in place at this time. Apply the side decals, being careful to remove all air pockets. **MANDATORY:** Install the FCC warning label to the back of the cabinet to complete the installation procedures!

The Big Test: Before applying power to the game, verify that the wiring is correct.

DISCONNECT THE HARNESS EDGE CONNECTOR NOW!

With the harness edge connector disconnected, apply power and measure the +5 volt level in respect to ground AT THE EDGE CONNECTOR OF THE MAIN HARNESS WITH A DIGITAL MULTI-METER. Refer to the edge connector pinout on page 12. Adjust the power supply to get a 5.2 volt reading at this point. Check the +12 volt level and the -5 volt (-5 volts may not be required) level in the same manner. REMOVE POWER FROM THE GAME AND WAIT 2 MINUTES FOR THE POWER SUPPLY TO DISCHARGE.

RE-INSTALL THE HARNESS EDGE CONNECTOR NOW!

Apply power to the game. The game's attract mode video should appear on the screen. Examine the video for correct appearance. Adjust the controls on the monitor to get the optimum picture possible.

Well, coin it up and play it! Check for proper controls, video, and sound.

C. Edge connector pin-out

The Kid Niki pcb has a 44 pin edge connector. Data East supplies a suitable EMI filter pcb with each game to make the game comply with FCC regulations and adapt to the Data East harness pin-out configuration.

Note that the pin-out configurations are quite different and under no circumstances should the harness edge connector be plugged directly on to the Kid Niki logic pcb.

The diagram below represents the IREM pin-out used on the actual game pcb, the one on page 12 is the Data East type harness pin-out used on the EMI filter pcb.

IREM EDGE CONNECTOR PIN-OUT

KID NIKI PCB EDGE CONNECTOR, CN-3

COMPONENT SIDE	PIN NUMBER	SOLDER SIDE
GROUND	1	2 GROUND
GROUND	3	4 GROUND
	5	6
COIN COUNTER A	7	8
1P CONTROL LEFT	9	10 2P CONTROL LEFT
1P CONTROL RIGHT	11	12 2P CONTROL RIGHT
1P CONTROL PUSH 1	13	14 2P CONTROL PUSH 1
1 PLAYER START	15	16 2 PLAYER START
	17	18 COIN COUNTER B
COIN SWITCH B	19	20 VIDEO SYNC
+ 12 VOLTS	21	22 + 12 VOLTS
+ 12 VOLT	23	24 + 12 VOLTS
SPEAKER (-)	25	26 SPEAKER (+)
1P CONTROL PUSH 2	27	28 2P CONTROL PUSH 2
VIDEO RED	29	30 VIDEO GREEN
VIDEO BLUE	31	32
2P CONTROL UP	33	34 2P CONTROL DOWN
1P CONTROL UP	35	36 1P CONTROL DOWN
SERVICE SWITCH	37	38 COIN SWITCH A
+ 5 VOLTS	39	40 + 5 VOLTS
+ 5 VOLTS	41	42 + 5 VOLTS
GROUND	43	44 GROUND

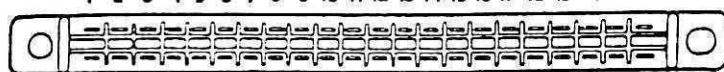
DATA EAST EDGE CONNECTOR PIN-OUT

HARNESS CONNECTOR, EMI FILTER PCB

SOLDER SIDE		PIN NUMBERS	COMPONENT SIDE
2P CONTROL 2	DOWN	A 1	1P CONTROL 2 DOWN
2P CONTROL 1	UP	B 2	1P CONTROL 1 UP
2P CONTROL 3	LEFT	C 3	1P CONTROL 3 LEFT
2P CONTROL 4	RIGHT	D 4	1P CONTROL 4 RIGHT
2P CONTROL 7	PUSH 3	E 5	1P CONTROL 7 PUSH 3
		F 6	
		H 7	
TEST SWITCH		J 8	SERVICE SWITCH
2P CONTROL 5	PUSH 1	K 9	1P CONTROL 5 PUSH 1
2P CONTROL 6	PUSH 2	L 10	1P CONTROL 6 PUSH 2
2P START SWITCH		M 11	1P START SWITCH
COIN SWITCH 2		N 12	COIN SWITCH 1
COIN COUNTER 2		P 13	COIN COUNTER 1
VIDEO GREEN		R 14	VIDEO BLUE
VIDEO SYNC		S 15	VIDEO RED
		T 16	
SPEAKER (-)		U 17	SPEAKER (+)
- 5 VOLTS		V 18	+ 12 VOLTS
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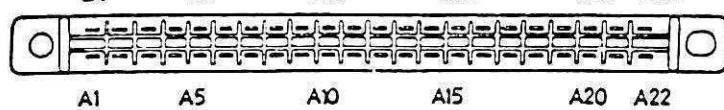
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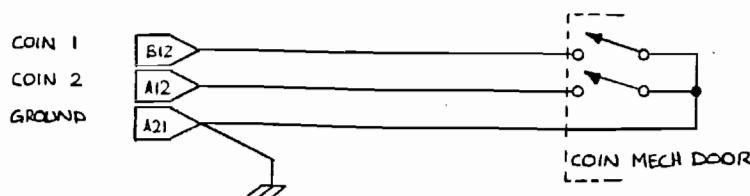
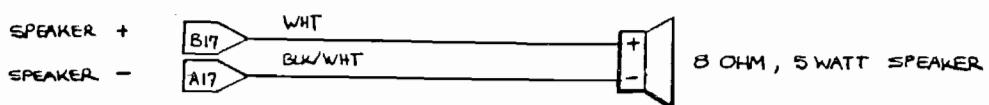
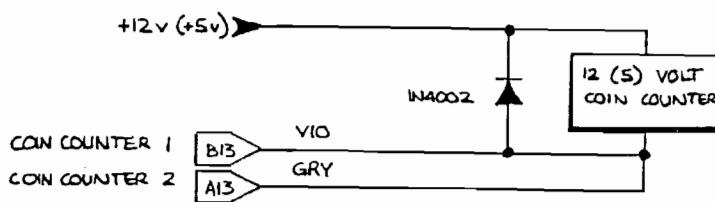
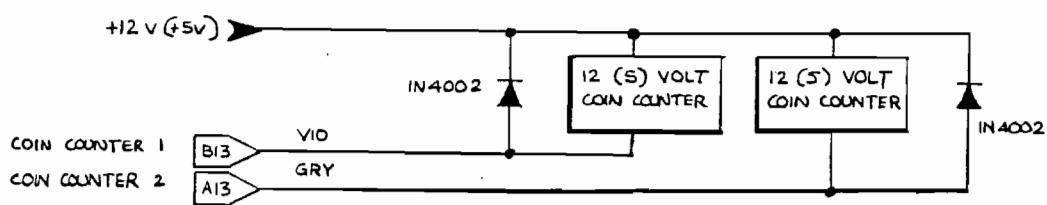
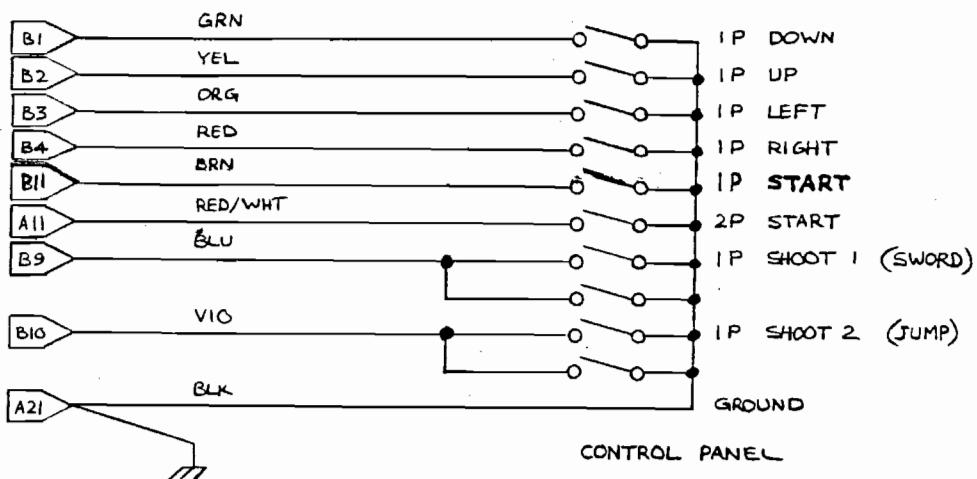
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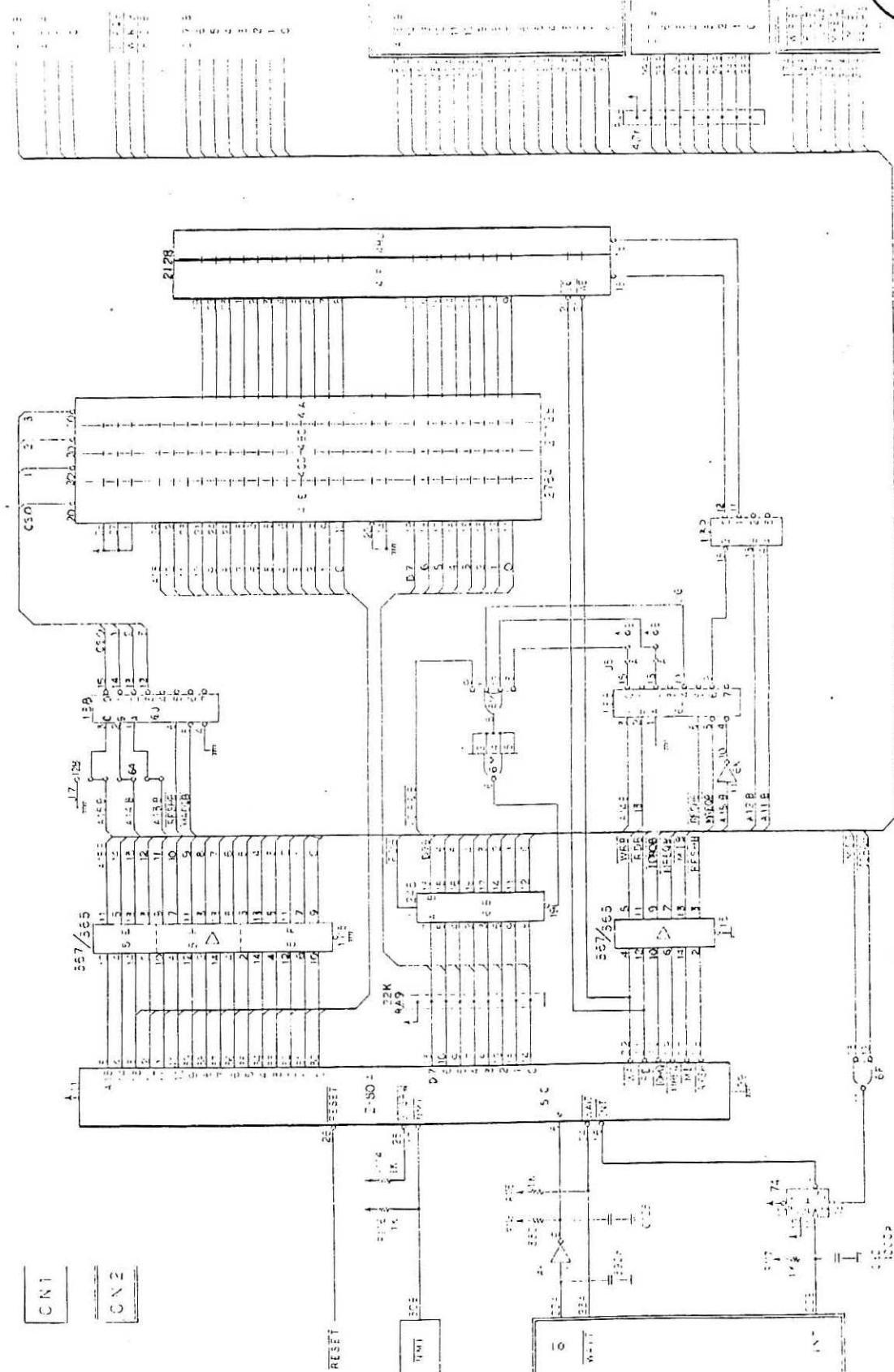
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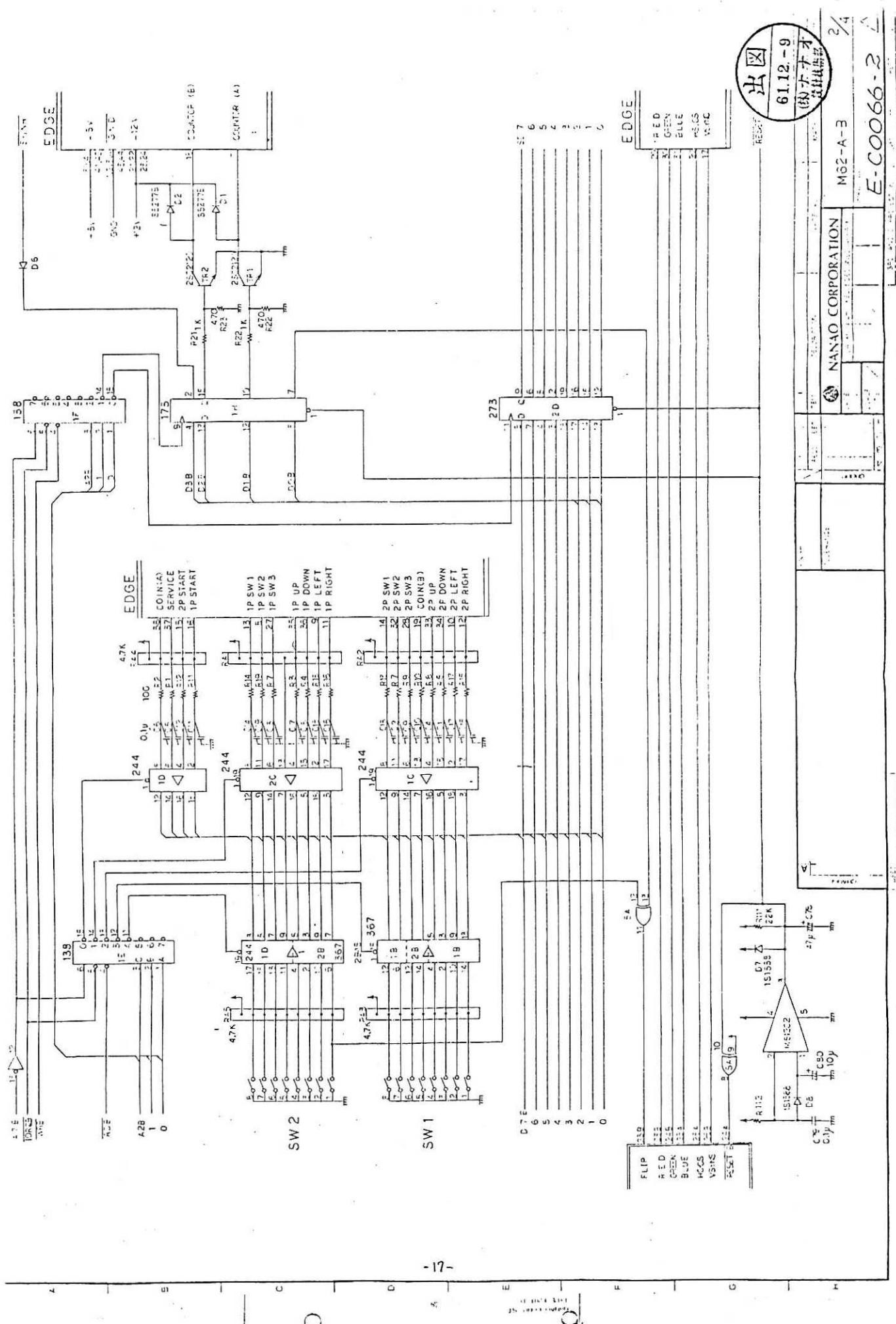


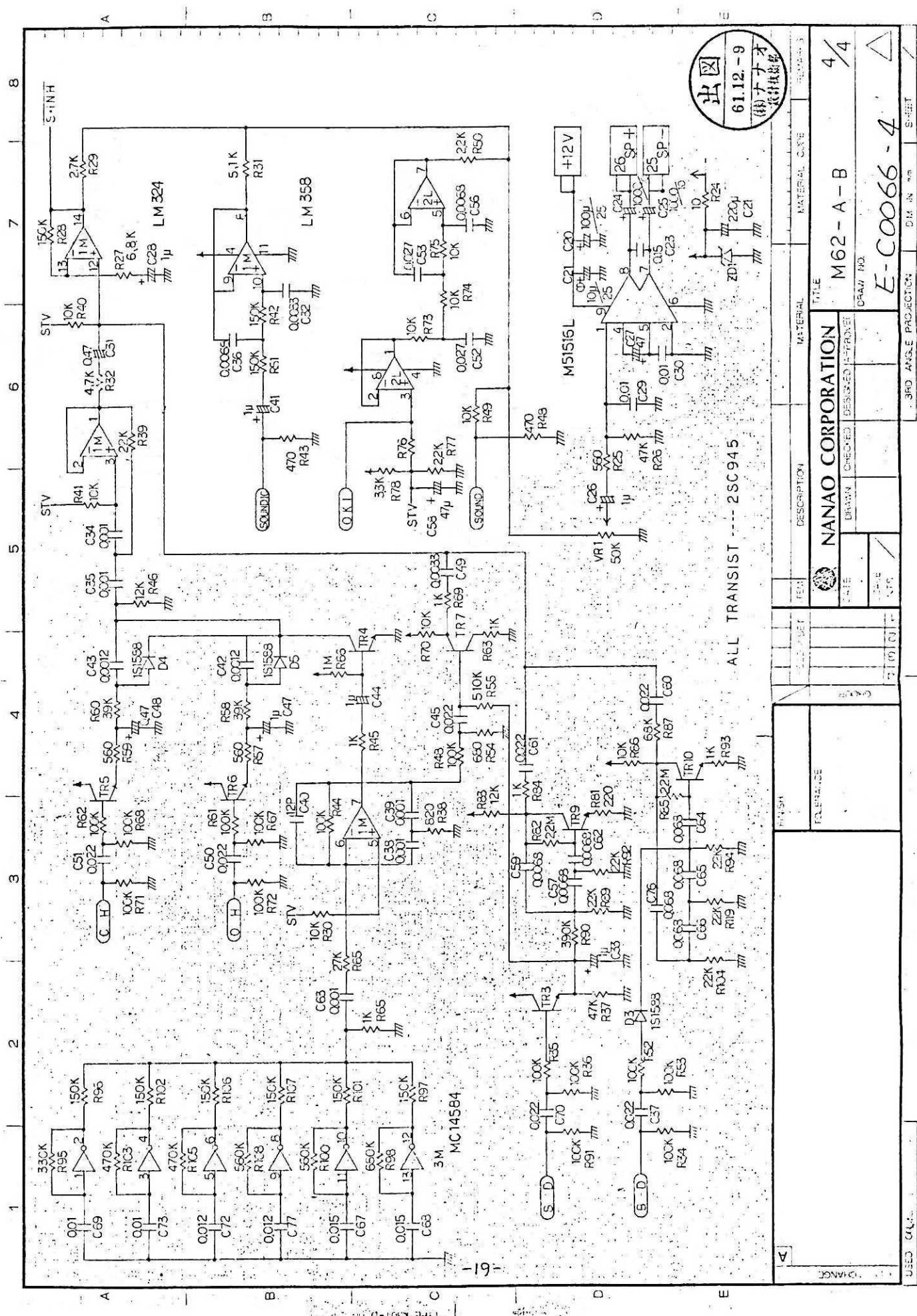
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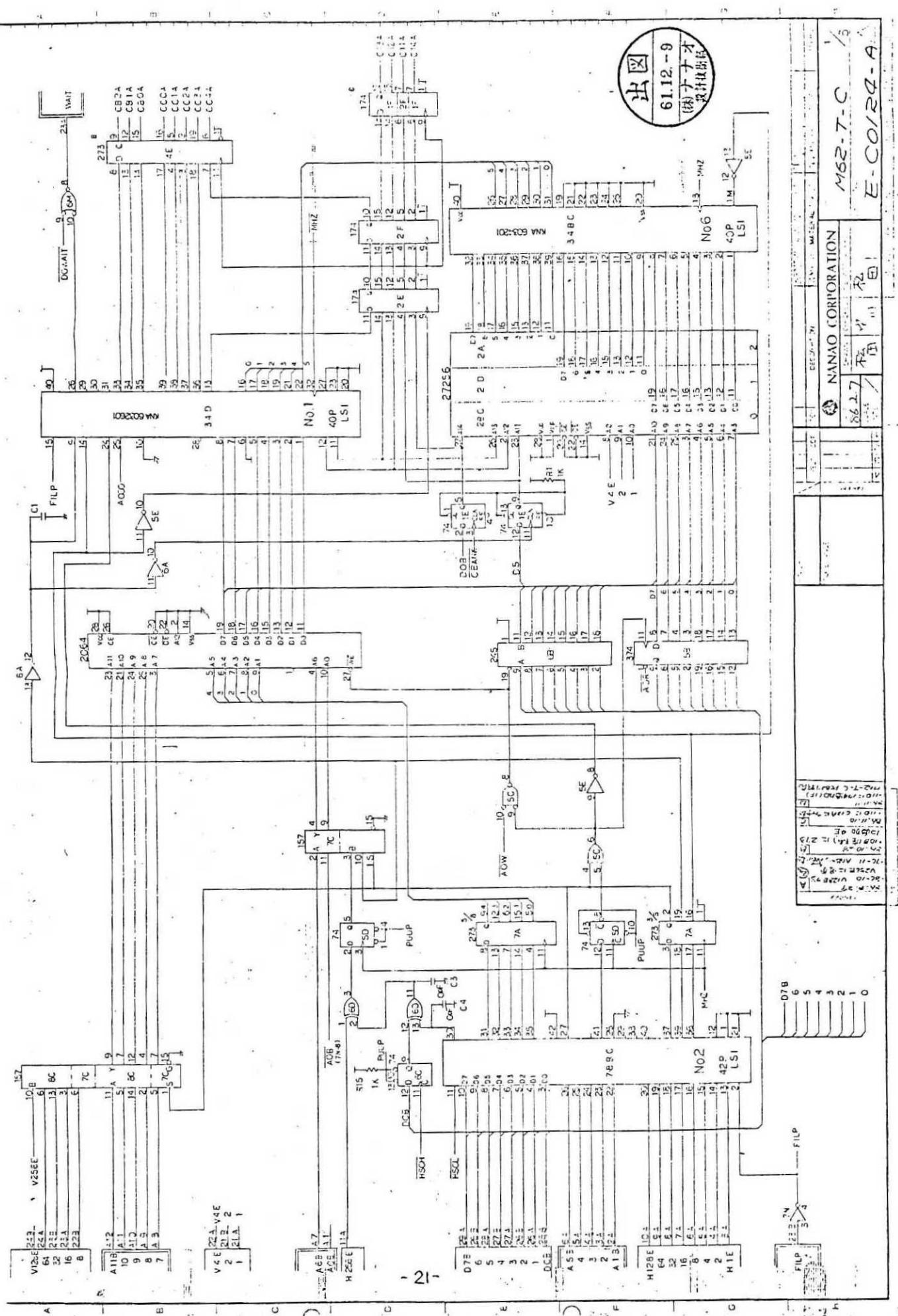


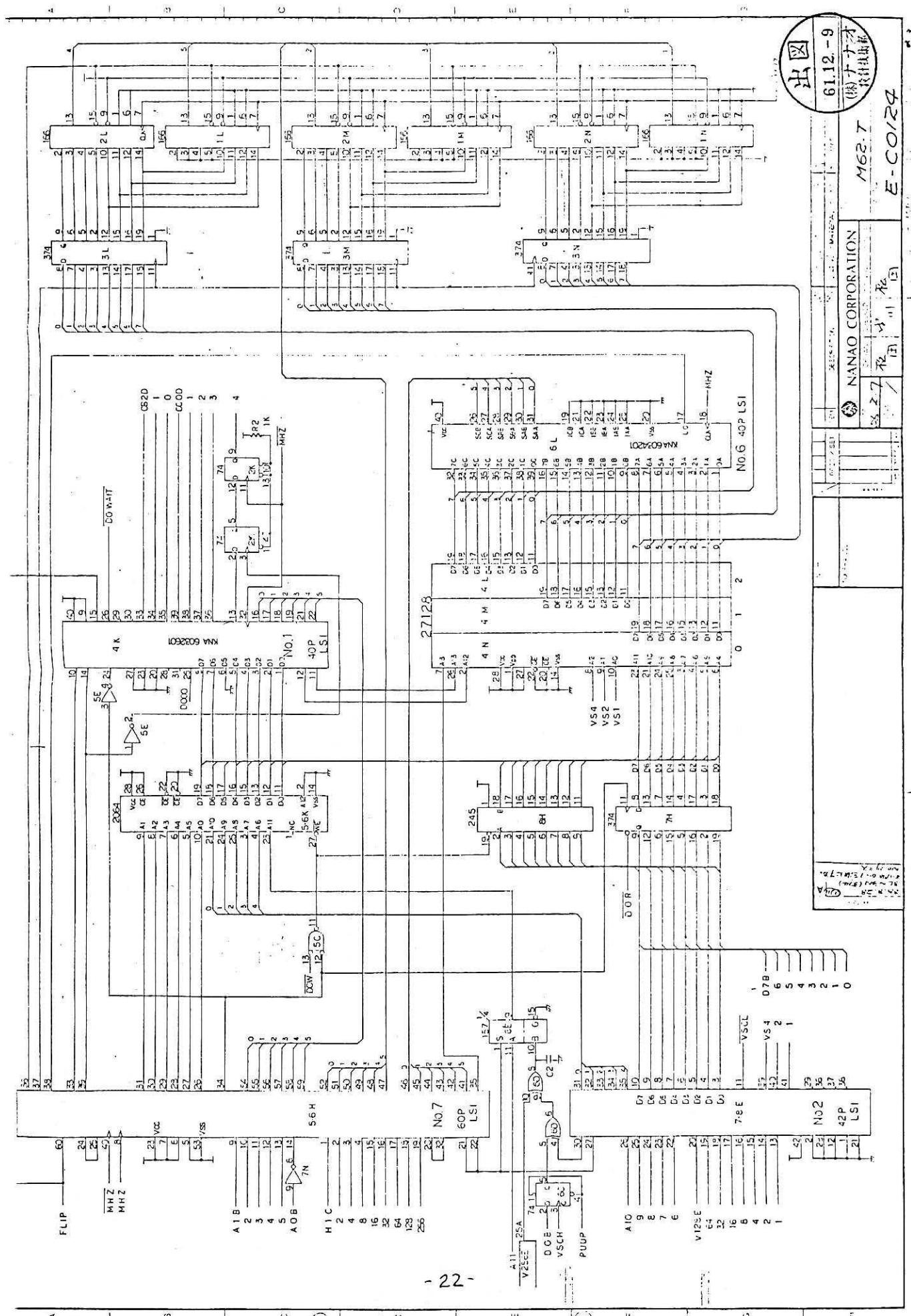
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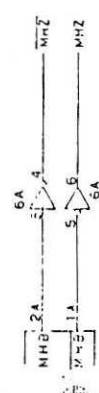
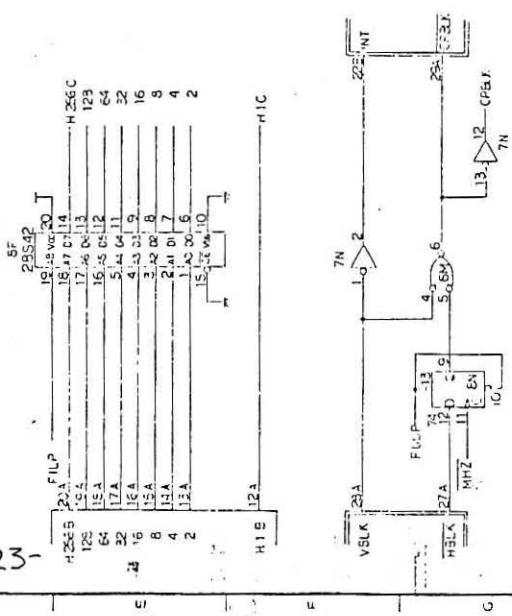
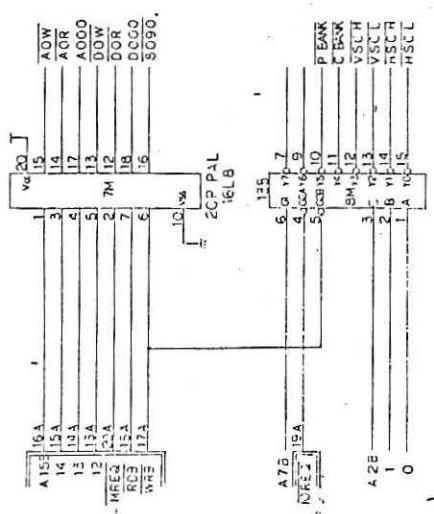
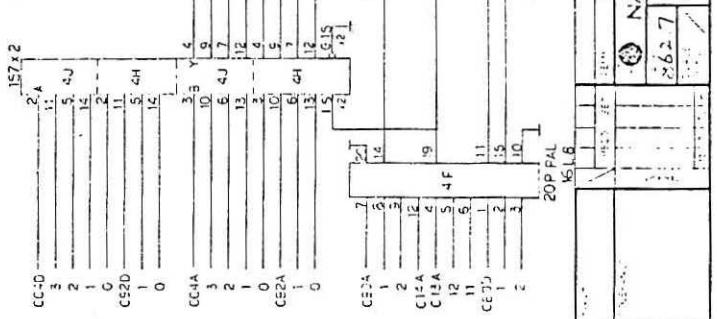
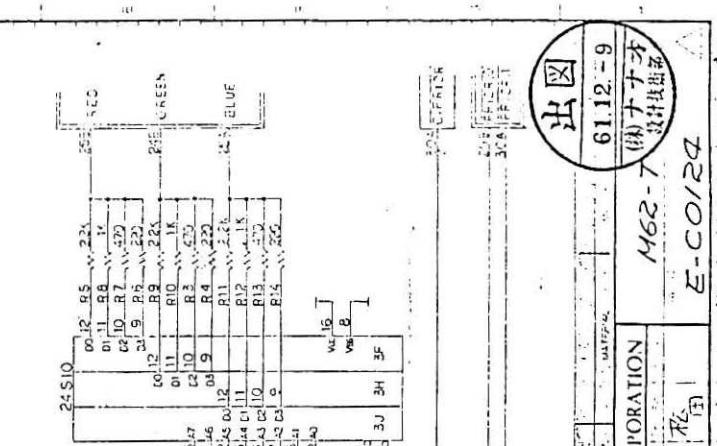
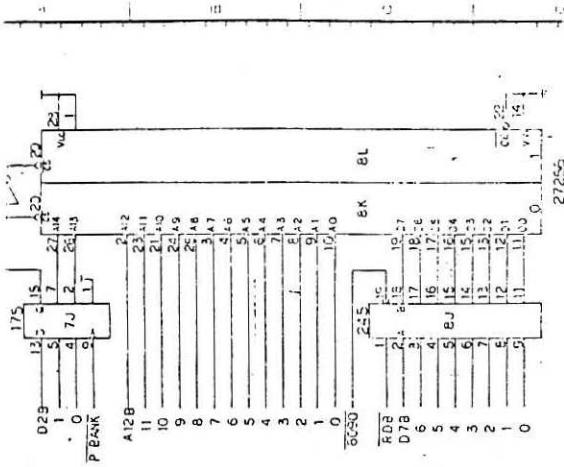




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